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In re Application of:  
Seretti et al.  
Application No. 09/370,935  
Filed: August 9, 1999  
For: Vehicular Data Exchange System and  
Method Therefor

DECISION ON REQUEST FOR  
WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY

This is a decision on the petition filed Oct. 18, 2000 (Paper No. 11) requesting (1) to change the correspondence address, and (2) to withdraw as attorney.

A request to change the correspondence address may not be signed by an attorney or agent not of record. M.P.E.P. § 405. Here, the attorney signing the petition was of record at the time the petition was filed, so the request is **GRANTED**. Future correspondence will be directed to William T. Rifkin at the address provided in the petition.

A request to withdraw as attorney is effective on the date of the decision on the request and not on the date the request was filed. M.P.E.P. § 402.06. The attorney's request complies with the applicable requirements, so that request is **GRANTED** and now effective.

Note that, although the petition effectively changes the correspondence address, Mr. Rifkin is not presently the attorney of record. If applicants desire that Mr. Rifkin become the attorney of record, they will have to file the appropriate appointment papers.

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